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SPONSOR FOR U.S.S. PHOENIX.

The Secretary of the Navy has designated Mrs. Dorothea Kays Moonan, of 111 Park Avenue, Arlington Heights, Massachusetts, as sponsor for the U.S.S. PHOENIX (CL46), named for the city of Phoenix, Arizona.

Mrs. Moonan, a daughter of Commander Harlow T. Kays, U.S. Navy, Retired, was suggested by Honorable R. C. Stanford, Governor of Arizona, as sponsor for this vessel.

The U.S.S. PHOENIX (CL46) is scheduled to be launched at the plant of the New York Shipbuilding Corp., Camden, New Jersey, 1 February 1938.

This vessel, the third of that name, was authorized by Act of Congress dated February 13, 1929.

SPONSOR FOR U.S.S. JOUETT.

The Secretary of the Navy has designated Mrs. James Ross Todd, of Cherokee Park, Louisville, Kentucky, as sponsor for the U.S.S. JOUETT (DD396), named in honor of her great uncle, the late Rear Admiral James E. Jouett, U.S. Navy.

Admiral Jouett distinguished himself in the Civil War when, with a company of Marines, he boarded and destroyed the Confederate Steamer ROYAL YACHT in Galveston Bay, and in another engagement in the battle of Mobile Bay when he commanded the METACOMBET. After the battle he pursued and engaged the gunboats GAINES, MORGAN, and SEIMA. The GAINES was crippled and the SEIMA surrendered.

Admiral Jouett was descended from distinguished ancestry, his father being Matthew Harris Jouett, the celebrated artist, and his grandfather, Jack Jouett, the Revolutionary hero who made the famous forty-mile-ride from Cuckoo, Va., to Charlottesville, on June 4, 1781, and saved Mr. Jefferson, then Governor of Virginia, and the Virginia Legislature from capture by the British under Col. Tarleton. The Jack Jouett Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, in Charlottesville, Va., is named in honor of Admiral Jouett's grandfather.

The U.S.S. JOUETT (DD396) is building at the plant of the Bath Iron Works Corp., Bath, Maine, and is scheduled to be launched between 25 August and 30 August, 1938.

The U.S.S. JOUETT (DD396), 1850-ton destroyer, authorized by Act of Congress dated March 27, 1934, is the second vessel to bear the name of the late Rear Admiral James E. Jouett, U.S. Navy.

SPONSOR FOR U.S.S. DAVIS.

The Secretary of the Navy has designated Mrs. Presley Morgan Taylor, of 2008 DeLancey Place, Philadelphia, Pa., as sponsor for the U.S.S. DAVIS (DD395), named in honor of her great-grandfather, the late Rear Admiral Charles Henry Davis, U.S. Navy.

SPONSOR FOR U.S.S. DAVIS (Contd.).

The U.S.S. DAVIS (DD395) is scheduled to be launched at the plant of the Bath Iron Works Corp., Bath, Maine, between 25 June and 5 July, 1938.

This vessel, the third one of that name, was authorized to be constructed by Act of Congress dated March 27, 1934.

TRAINING COURSES.

Training courses are available for men preparing for the following ratings:

Seaman Branch

Apprentice Seaman  
Seaman 1/c  
Coxswain  
Boatswain's Mate 2/c  
Gunner's Mate 1/c and Chief Gunner's Mate and Turret Captain 1/c and Chief  
Turret Captain  
Quartermaster 1/c and Chief Quartermaster  
Torpedoman 3/c  
Torpedoman 2/c  
Torpedoman 1/c and Chief  
Fire Controlman 3/c

Artificer Branch

Fireman 2/c and 1/c	Radioman 1/c
Machinist's Mate 1/c	Signalman 3/c
Water Tender 2/c	Carpenter's Mate 2/c
Water Tender 1/c and Chief Water Tender	Carpenter's Mate 1/c
Electrician's Mate 1/c	Painter 3/c
Radioman 3/c	Painter 2/c
Radioman 2/c	Painter 1/c

Aviation Branch

Aviation Machinist's Mate 1/c

Special Branch

Storekeeper 3/c  
Ship's Cook 3/c  
Ship's Cook 2/c and 1/c  
Baker Ratings  
Messman  
Commissary and Chief Commissary Stewards  
Yeoman 3/c  
Yeoman 2/c  
Hospital Apprentice 1/c and Pharmacist's Mate 3/c  
Pharmacist's Mate 2/c

General Courses

A to N	Electric Propulsion Main Drive
Aviation Seamanship	Gasoline Engines
Blowers	Gyroscopic Compasses
Boilers, Coal Fired	Mechanical Measuring Instruments
Boilers, Oil Fired	Navy Cook Book
Compasses and Piloting	Pumps
Distilling Plants	Storage Batteries

## TRAINING COURSES (Contd.).

### Other Publications Available

Yearbook of Enlisted Training	N-1 Training Seaplanes
News Handling	N-2 Training Landplanes
Thrift	Methods of Instruction
Benefit Guide	Collision Cases 1-10
Concessions to Colleges	Collision Cases 31-40
Motion Picture Handling	Collision Cases 41-50
Sound Motion Picture Equipment	Grounding Cases 11-20
Naval Aviation Syllabus	Administration Cases 21-30

### SELECTION AND INSTRUCTION OF NAVAL ACADEMY CANDIDATES.

There are on board ship each year many recommended candidates for the Naval Academy, who, because of insufficient sea service, cannot be assigned to the Naval Academy Preparatory School. Out of 197 men who were recommended by their commanding officers and who had passed the physical examinations, 159 took the Naval Academy Entrance Examinations at sea in April, 1937. Of this number, only 16 were successful.

The numbers of enlisted men passing the Naval Academy Entrance Examinations from sea and from the Naval Academy Preparatory School, Norfolk, Va., are shown below for the years 1933 to 1937, inclusive:

<u>Year</u>	<u>From Sea</u>	<u>From NAPS</u>	<u>Total</u>
1933	4	40	44
1934	12	64	76
1935	13	19	32
1936	19	54	73
1937	16	66	82

In no instance since the establishment of 9 months of sea duty as one of the entrance requirements for enlisted candidates has the allowed quota of 100 been filled.

Textbooks available for the instruction of Naval Academy candidates on board ship were announced in the Bureau of Navigation Bulletin No. 253, of 30 October 1937.

A pamphlet entitled "Suggestions Relative to the Selection and Instruction of Enlisted Men as Naval Academy Candidates" has been forwarded to all ships.

Copies of the examinations given throughout the first review of all subjects at the Naval Academy Preparatory School will be forwarded in complete sets of "First Examinations," "Second Examinations," etc., to all vessels from which enlisted applicant cards (N.Nav. 116) are received showing recommended candidates on board. These examinations are forwarded for the convenience of officers charged with the instruction of candidates, and may be given as progress tests to candidates on any vessel. Keys for these examinations will not be supplied by the Bureau.

## GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR PETTY OFFICERS (C.B.N.M. 11).

In Change No. 11 to Bureau of Navigation Manual, Article D-5202 lists the new general qualifications for petty officers, and reference is made to the General Training Course for Petty Officers. From present indications this course will not be available for issue for several months. In the meantime, quarterly examinations for promotion should not be based upon the new General Qualifications, and, until instructions to the contrary are received, the General Qualifications for Petty Officers (Articles D-5202, D-5206 and D-5215), which were in effect prior to the receipt of Change No. 11, will continue in effect.

In the event that these articles have already been removed and destroyed, they are quoted as follows (except D-5202, General Qualifications for CPOs):

### "D-5206. QUALIFICATIONS FOR PETTY OFFICERS IN SEAMAN BRANCH.

"(1) In addition to the subjects under (a) to (n) inclusive, petty officers of the seaman branch should show a thorough knowledge of the following:

General duties and responsibilities of petty officers; manner of performing duty; the necessity for exacting absolute and prompt obedience; general duties when detailed for guard and patrol duty; rules and regulations and manner of performing that duty; the order and precedence of petty officers and the various questions relating not to the specialty he is in, but to the functions of a petty officer; questions which should be known in common by all petty officers of the seaman branch, such as the school of the squad, setting up drills, handling boats under oars and sail.

"(2) Before being advanced to a petty officer rating a man shall have given evidence of his ability to direct subordinates and that he understands the obligations of a petty officer so far as relates to maintaining good order, discipline, and all that concerns the efficiency of the command."

"D-5215. GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS OF PETTY OFFICERS OF OTHER THAN SEAMAN BRANCH. - Petty officers of the artificer, special, commissary, and aviation branches are men rated for skill in their respective trades. First, however, they must be man-of-war's men; and, second, specialists. In addition to the special technical qualifications outlined in succeeding articles of this manual, a man before being advanced to a petty officer rating shall have given evidence of his ability to direct subordinates, and that he understands the obligations of a petty officer so far as relates to maintaining good order, discipline, and all that concerns the efficiency of the command; and he shall understand the importance of the security of confidential information."

### MUSIC FOR ISSUE.

There are in store at the Navy Yard, Philadelphia, in Appropriation Purchases Account, 108 sets of the march "Flag Officers" for band, and 251 copies of the march "Flag Officers" for trumpet. This music has been in store for a considerable period of time and it is desired to issue it for use.

MUSIC FOR ISSUE (Contd.).

Any ship or station having an official band or orchestra may secure the desired number of copies upon application by letter to the Commandant, Navy Yard, Philadelphia.

There will be no charge to any allotment for this music.

MUSIC.

A supply of copies of the Chinese National Anthem has been purchased and will be distributed by the Navy Yard, Philadelphia, to all vessels and stations having official bands and orchestras. This distribution will be made without request from the vessels or stations.

DECEASED ENLISTED PERSONNEL.

The following-named enlisted men have died during the period 1 November to 31 December 1937, inclusive:

ANDERSON, Edwin Harold, R.M.1c, U.S.N. Died 27 December 1937, U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Cal. Next of kin, father, Mr. Harry M. Anderson, 345 North Avenue 52, Los Angeles, Cal.

AYRAUD, Israel Patrick, C.R.M., U.S.N. Died 4 November 1937, U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Cal. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Dorothy F. Ayraud, 1270 West 37th St., Norfolk, Va.

BIONDINE, Joseph John, M.M.1c, U.S.N. Died 13 December 1937 at Pecos, Texas, while en route from U.S.S. QUINCY at San Pedro, to Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., for duty. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Billie Ora Biondine - whereabouts unknown. Remains claimed by mother, Mrs. Bommino Biondine, 32 School St., Westerly, R.I.

BLANTON, Troy Wesley, A.M.M.1c, U.S.N. Died 1 December 1937, airplane crash, off Virginia Beach, Va. (Attached VB Sqd. 5) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Mary Jarvell Planton, R.F.D. #3, Lafayette, Ala.

BROWN, Gerald Maurico, C.M.M., U.S.N. Died 25 December 1937 at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D.C. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Martha I. Brown, c/o Mrs. Lange, 685 Nostrand Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

BULASOC, Ricardo, Native Sea. 1c, U.S.N. Died 12 November 1937, U. S. Naval Hospital, Canacao, P.I. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Monica O. Bulasoc, 404 San Antonio St., Cavite, P. I.

BYROADS, Lavon Spencer, Sea. 1c, U.S.N. Died 30 December 1937, St. Vincent's Hospital, New York City. (On leave from U.S.S. J.FRED TALBOTT.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Marie Byroads, 229 W. 16th St., New York, N. Y.

CELEBRADO, Angeles, Matt. 1c, U.S.N. Died 17 November 1937, U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill. Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Petuna Petalio, Nabua, Camarines Sur, P.I.



DECEASED ENLISTED PERSONNEL (Contd.).

CLARK, Davis Roe, M.M.2c, U.S.N. Died 12 December 1937, at Coco Solo, C.Z. (Attached F.A.B., Coco Solo.) Next of kin, father, Mr. Grover C. Clark, Waynesville, N.C.

DAILEY, Clyde Allen, A.M.M.3c, U.S.N. Died 9 November 1937 at Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla. Next of kin, father, Mr. Addison Dailey, Mackinaw, Ill.

DANSEREAU, Victor Pierre, C.W.T., U.S.N.R., F-4-C (On active duty as ship-keeper). Died 19 November 1937, aboard U.S.S. DUBUQUE, at Great Lakes, Ill. Next of kin, sister, Mrs. Edna Severance, 426 W. Michigan Ave., Jackson, Mich.

DONOVAN, Cornelius William, S.F.1c, U.S.N. Died 28 November 1937, by drowning, at Navy Yard, New York. (Attached U.S.S. DUNLAP.) Next of kin, father, Mr. Cornelius Donovan, 94 Rockaway St., Lynn, Mass.

ENSMINGER, Charles Lee, S.K.1c, U.S.N. Died 13 December 1937 at Hohsien, China, as result of wounds sustained in U.S.S. PANAY disaster. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Lucile O. Ensminger, c/o Mr. H. T. Omslaer, 1003 Davis St., Evanston, Ill.

ESGUERRA, Deogracias, Metalsmith 1c, U.S.N. Died 15 November 1937, at Second Brigade Hospital, Shanghai, China. (Attached U.S.S. BLACK HAWK.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Maxima P. Esguerra, Imus, Cavite, P.I.

FILLO, Joseph, Sea. 1c, U.S.N. Died 21 December 1937 aboard U.S.S. RELIEF at San Pedro. Next of kin, father, Mr. Stephen Fillo, 313 Dewey St., Throop, Pa.

FOX, James Buford, Sea. 2c, U.S.N. Died 12 November 1937 in Los Angeles, Cal. (On liberty from U.S.S. MEDUSA.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Isabel Fox, 1114 Superba Ave., Venice, Cal.

FORD, John Joseph, S.F.3c, U.S.N. Died 30 December 1937, U.S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y. Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Delia Ford, c/o Mr. William Ford, 206 E. 16 St., New York, N. Y.

GRAY, Drue Austin, Sea. 2c, U.S.N. Died 1 November 1937 aboard U.S.S. MISSISSIPPI. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Drue Austin Gray, 448 S. Buena Vista St., Hemet, Cal.

GROSS, William Milton, Sea. 1c, U.S.N. Died 2 November 1937, U.S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Cal. Next of kin, father, Mr. Benjamin H. Gross, Onawa, Iowa.

GROVES, William Lee, A.S., U.S.N. Died 15 December 1937, Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va. Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Mary Lee Yasinski, 905 N. Calvert St., Baltimore, Md.

HALL, Stanley Orrin, F.2c, U.S.N. Died 26 December 1937, near Sapulpa, Okla. (On authorized leave from U.S.S. WEST VIRGINIA.) Next of kin, father, Mr. Orrin Hall, R.F.D. "A", Fleming, Colorado.

HARRIS, Oron Stanley, Sea. 2c, U.S.N. Died 7 November 1937, U.S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Cal. Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Marion Ione Harris, 846 Delafield Place, N.W., Washington, D.C.

DECEASED ENLISTED PERSONNEL (Contd.).

HARVEY, Joseph, A.M.M.1c, U.S.N. Died 5 November 1937, U.S. Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Eva Harvey, 1710 W. Jackson St., Pensacola, Fla.

HELLESVIG, Oren Axel, S.K.2c, U.S.N. Died 1 November 1937 at Delmar, Cal. (On liberty from U.S.S. MELVILLE.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Frances A. Hellesvig, Laurel, Montana.

HOLZLE, Emil Joseph, F.2c, U.S.N. Died 20 November 1937 at San Diego, Cal. (Attached VCS-4, NORTHAMPTON UNIT.) Next of kin, father, Mr. Anthony Holzle, 173 61st St., Niagara Falls, N.Y.

HUFFSTETLER, Greeley Edward, F.3c, U.S.N. Died 5 December 1937 at U. S. Submarine Base, New London, Conn. Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Carrie I. Huffstetler, Cramerton, N.C.

HULSEBUS, Edgar William George, Coxswain, U.S.N. Died 19 December 1937 at County Hospital, Shanghai, China, of wound sustained in the sinking of the U.S.S. PANAY. Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Katherine Hulsebus, R.F.D. #2, Canton, Missouri.

JENKINS, Clarence Leroy, R.M.2c, U.S.N. Died 14 November 1937 by drowning at Sitka, Alaska. (Attached VP Sqd. 17.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Dorothy M. Jenkins, c/o Mrs. W. Hardcastle, 946 N. 79th St., Seattle, Wash.

KEILMAN, Edmund Benson, Sea. 2c, U.S.N. Died 8 November 1937 at Long Beach, Cal. (On leave from U.S.S. SAN FRANCISCO.) Next of kin, father, Mr. Daniel Keilman, Oakley, Ill.

KELLER, Gussie Maurice, Sea. 2c, U.S.N. Died 23 November 1937 near Benson's Dry Lake, Cal. (Attached VB Sqd. 4.) Next of kin, father, Mr. Jonah Oscar Keller, Route #5, Rector, Ark.

KING, William Howard, R.M.2c, U.S.N. Died 14 November 1937, by drowning at Sitka, Alaska. (Attached VP Sqd. 17.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Virginia M. King, 1024 Albany St., Los Angeles, Cal.

MANTHEI, Wilbert Charles, Sea. 1c, U.S.N. Died 21 December 1937 at Receiving Hospital, San Pedro, Cal. (On liberty from U.S.S. ASTORIA.) Next of kin, father, Mr. Charles Manthei, 26 Market St., Glen Lyon, Pa.

MC CRODDAN, Matthew, A.M.M.1c, U.S.N. Died 3 November 1937, near Seattle, Wash. (Attached VP Sqd. 16-F.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Mary E. McCroddan, 3242 E. 97th St., Seattle, Wash.

MC GRATH, Frank Xavier, Sea. 2c, U.S.N. Died 20 November 1937 at San Diego, Cal. (Attached VCS-4 NORTHAMPTON UNIT.) Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Hannah McGrath, 101-18, 132nd St., Richmond Hill, L.I., N.Y.

NICHOLS, Frank Edward, Sea. 1c, U.S.N. Died 1 November 1937 at Delmar, Cal. (On liberty from U.S.S. MELVILLE.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Doris Julia Nichols, 1705 South Grand Ave., Apt. 113, Los Angeles, Cal.



DECEASED ENLISTED PERSONNEL (Contd.).

NOVERO, Sebastian, Matt. 1c, U.S.N. Died 17 November 1937, U.S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass. Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Manuela Nunez, 412 Harris St., Olongapo, Zambales, P.I.

OBEY, John Lee, Matt. 3c, U.S.N. Died 27 December 1937, U. S. Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va. Next of kin, father, Mr. George T. Obey, 813 S. Hampton Ave., Norfolk, Va.

PORTER, Loyd Thomas, A.M.M.3c, U.S.N. Died 5 November 1937, U.S. Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Marie Porter, 16 $\frac{1}{2}$  W. Grand St., Pensacola, Fla.

REAGAN, Russell Edmund, R.M.1c, U.S.N. Died 3 November 1937 near Seattle, Wash. (Attached VP Sqd. 16-F.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Virginia G. Reagan, 4003 15th St., N.E., Seattle, Wash.

ROA, Florentino, Matt. 2c, U.S.N. Died 1 December 1937, aboard U.S.S. PORTER, at sea. Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Paulino Antok, 1634 L. Dominga St., Singalong, Manila, P.I.

ROBINSON, Donald Ainger, A.M.M.3c, U.S.N. Died 14 December 1937, when lost overboard from U.S.S. YORKTOWN. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Helen E. Robinson, 1056 Norview Ave., Ocean View, Va.

SCHLONEGER, Donald Wayne, Sea. 1c, U.S.N. Died 13 December 1937, aboard U.S.S. RELIEF at San Pedro, Cal. Next of kin, father, Mr. Harry J. Schloneger, 318 Michael Pl., S.W., Canton, Ohio.

SERVIOLO, Anthony Tony, S.M.M.1c, U.S.N. Died 14 November 1937, U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Cal. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Serviolo, 1218 Lewis St., San Diego, Cal.

SHERMAN, Benjamin Cliver, A.M.2c, U.S.N. Died 4 November 1937 at U.S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Cal. Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Katherine T. Sherman, 1425 N. Occidental Blvd., Los Angeles, Cal.

SIGLER, Gleon Lamar, M.M.2c, U.S.N. Died 5 November 1937, U.S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Cal. Next of kin, father, Mr. Thomas Lamar Sigler, R.F.D.#1, McDavid, Fla.

SKULSKY, Daniel, Sea.2c, U.S.N. Died 4 November 1937 at Vallejo, Cal. (Attached U.S.S. TRENTON.) Next of kin, father, Mr. Andrew Skulsky, 17163 Oakland Ave., Detroit, Mich.

SMITH, James Andrew, Coxswain, U.S.N. Died 27 December 1937 at U.S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Cal. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Nellie G. Smith, 2605 Logan Avenue, San Diego, Cal., Apt. 1, c/o Nellie Kennedy.

DECEASED ENLISTED PERSONNEL (Contd.).

THRIFT, William Carroll, Bandmaster, U.S.N. Died 27 November 1937 at 474 F St., S.W., Washington, D. C. (On liberty from Receiving Sta., Washington, D.C.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Emma C. Thrift, 474 F St., S.W., Washington, D.C.

TREBISKY, Thomas James, F.1c, U.S.N. Died 25 November 1937 aboard U.S.S. RIGEL. Next of kin, father, Mr. George Trebisky, Trebisky Road, South Euclid, Ohio.

VROOMAN, William, Sea.2c, U.S.N. Died 27 December 1937 at Norfolk, Va. (Attached N.T.S., Norfolk, Va.) Next of kin, mother, Mrs. Madge Ellen Vrooman, 1635 S.W. 13th St., Miami, Fla.

WILLIAMS, Maury London, Sea. 1c, U.S.N. Died 14 December 1937 at San Diego, Cal. (On leave from U.S.S. DEWEY.) Next of kin, father, Mr. George E. Williams, 1002 Woodland St., Columbia, Tenn.

YUVIENCO, Baltazar, Bandmaster, U.S.N. Died 21 November 1937, U.S. Naval Hospital, Canacao, P.I. Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Eulogia Yuvienco, Naic, Cavite, P.I.

Note: The death of the following-named man was received too late to be included with the deaths reported in October, 1937:

STAHURA, John Stanley, S.M.1c, U.S.N. Died 28 October 1937, by drowning. (Attached U.S.S. QUINCY.) Next of kin, wife, Mrs. Mary Ann Stahura, 745 West 4th St., Long Beach, Cal.

INSTRUCTION IN LAW.

The following officers have been selected for a course of instruction in law:

Lieutenant John L. Burnside, Jr., U.S.N.,  
Lieutenant Henry C. Bruton, U.S.N.,  
Lieutenant Eugene B. McKinney, U.S.N.